REQUEST FOR CONTINUED MINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

Application No.	10/077,917
Filing Date	February 18, 2002
First Named Inventor	Ronald W. Ignatius
Group Art Unit	3739
Examiner Name	Johnson III, Henry M.
Attorney Docket Number	77054-9023-01

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114, of the aboveidentified application.

Submissions Included:

- Amendment Office Action dated 12/31/2003
- Declaration of Todd S. Martin
- Declaration of Ronald W. Ignatius
- Request for Two-Month Extension and check for \$210.00
- Check for \$385.00 RCE filing fee

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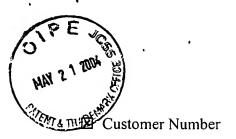
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Applicants claim small entity status.

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